

1890-2021



Welkom to De Hems

Since 1688, a public house has stood on the site now occupied by De Hems. In 1890 the pub was given the name De Hems from a Dutch seaman who bought it. The Dutch community have long since been linked with De Hems and the pub was even a meeting place for the Dutch Resistance in the Second World War. Then, in the 1960s, De Hems became a popular haunt for those working in the music business, where it is said that a place in the music chart could be bought in the pub's Oyster Bar.

On the outside, what is most striking is the towering ornate façade. Inside, there is a strong Dutch flavor. Early this century, the pub became known for selling oysters as well as beer and the walls were covered in 30,000 oyster shells. Thanks to the fine selection of Dutch & Belgian beers available, De Hems will remain a popular haunt for years to come.

Sinds 1688 stond er een café/kroeg op de plaats waar nu De Hems is. In 1890 werd de kroeg gekocht door een nederlandse zeeman genaamd De Hems en zo is deze pub aan zijn naam gekomen. De Nederlandse gemeenschap wordt al lang in verband gebracht met De Hems en de pub was tevens ook een ontmoetingsplaats voor het Nederlandse verzet in de Tweede Wereldoorlog.

In de Jaren 60 stond De Hems bekend als een populaire ontmoetingsplek voor diegenen die in de muziek industry zaten. Er werd gezegd dat men een plek in de hitlijsten kon kopen hier in de kroeg's boven bar genaamd de Oyster bar.

Wat het meest opvalt, aan de buitenkant van de Hems is de torenhoge sierlijke gevel. In de kroeg zelf ziet u verschillende aspecten van en over Nederland en de geschiedenis van de kroeg zelf.

Begin de 20st eeuw, was de kroeg vooral bekend vanwege de verkoop van oesters en bier. Op het hoogtepunt waren de muren van de bovenbar bedekt met meer dan 30.000 oesterschelpen. Dankzij de fijne selectie van Nederlandse en Belgische bieren, zal De Hems een populaire ontmoetingsplek blijven voor de jaren die komen.

Bottled Trappist Beers

Trappist beer is brewed by Trappist breweries or under their supervision. There are currently fourteen globally that brew beer and sell it as Authentic Trappist Product

The Trappist order originated in the Cistercian monastery of La Trappe, France. Various Cistercian congregations existed for many years, and by 1664 the Abbot of La Trappe felt that the Cistercians were becoming too liberal. He introduced strict new rules in the abbey and the Strict Observance was born. Since this time, many of the rules have been relaxed. However, a fundamental tenet that monasteries should be self-supporting is still maintained.



1. La Trappe Tripel.	Netherlands	8%	6.90
2. La Trappe Quadrupel	Netherlands	10%	7.90
3. Westmalle Triple	Belgium	9.5%	6.90
4. Westmalle Dubbel	Belgium	7%	6.40
5. Rocheforte 6	Belgium	7.5%	6.90
6. Rocheforte 8	Belgium	9.2%	6.90
7. Rocheforte 10	Belgium	11.3%	7.90
8. Rocheforte Triple	Belgium	8.1%	7.90
9. Chimay Blue	Belgium	9%	6.90
10. Chimay White	Belgium	8%	6.90
11. Chimay Red	Belgium	7%	6.90
12. Orval (when available)	Belgium	6.2%	6.90
13. Aged Orval (when available)	Belgium	6.2%	7.90
14. Achel Blonde	Belgium	8%	6.90
15. La Trappe Oak aged 37.5cl	Netherlands	11%	23.20





Bottled Sour and Lambic Beers

Sour beer is beer which has an intentionally acidic, tart or sour taste. The most common sour beer styles are Belgian lambics, gueuze and Flanders red ale

16. Duchesse du Bourgogne	Belgium	6.2%	6.90
17. Rodenbach Gran Cru	Belgium	6%	6.40
18. Oude Boon Kriek 37.5cl	Belgium	6.5%	9.60
19. Liefmans Kriek Cuvee	Belgium	6%	6.40
20. 3 Fontaine Gueuze	Belgium	5.3%	13.60
21. Tilquin Gueuze	Belgium	7%	13.60
22. To OI Gose to Hollywood	Denmark	3.8%	6.00





Bottled Fruit Beers

If the Beers above are not to your liking, these are much sweeter to taste and extremely refreshing. Be warned, some pack a deceptive punch.

23. Mongozo Coconut	Belgium	3.6%	5.80
24. Mongozo Banana	Belgium	3.6%	5.80
25. Floris Passionfruit	Belgium	3.6%	5.80
26. Floris Mango	Belgium	3.6%	5.80
27. Floris Peach	Belgium	3.6%	5.80
28. Floris Chocolat	Belgium	3.6%	5.80
29. Kasteel Rouge	Belgium	8%	6.90
30. Delirium Red	Belgium	8%	6.90
31. Bacchus Framboise	Belgium	5%	5.55
32. Schofferhofer Grapefruit	Germany	2.5%	5.30



Bacchus

**DELIRIUM
RED**



Bottled Dark / Special Beers

Roasting the Malts in a Beer longer brings out a much more full bodied and complex flavour. Rich and warming these Beers can take on aromas and tastes such as Coffee, Chocolate and Caramel. And much more for the Beer Connoisseur.

33. St Bernadus abt 12	Belgium	10%	7.90
34. Delirium Nocturnum	Belgium	8.5%	6.90
35. Leffe Brun	Belgium	6.5%	5.80
36. Hercule Imperial stout	Belgium	9%	7.90
37. Gulden Draak	Belgium	10.5%	7.90
38. Oedipus Kinderyoga imp st	Netherlands	11%	7.90
39. Uiltje Grandmas cooking imp st	Netherlands	10%	7.90
40. Straffe Hendrik quadruple	Belgium	11%	7.90
41. Troubadour Obscura	Belgium	8.2%	6.90
42. Kasteel chocolate quadruple	Belgium	11%	7.90



Bottled Amber Beers

Similar in style to a British ale, these are bright Amber coloured Beers that are a firm favourite. Warning, one of them is our strongest Beer and should be taken seriously.

43. De Konink APA	Belgium	5.2%	6.40
44. Kwak	Belgium	8.4%	6.90
45. Bush Ambre	Belgium	12%	7.90
46. De Molen Unarmed & Dang	Netherlands	10.9%	9.60
47. Satan Amber	Belgium	8%	7.90
48. Delerium Argentum	Belgium	7%	6.90



Blondes, Tripels, Dubbels, Quadruples

Classic Dutch and Belgian Beers from selected Breweries that we think are the best. These Beers are amazing and you will keep coming back for more.

49. La Chouffe	Belgium	8%	6.40
50. Vedette Blonde	Belgium	5.2%	5.80
51. Averbode	Belgium	7.5%	6.90
52. St Bernadus Triple	Belgium	8%	7.90
53. Brugge Zot	Belgium	6%	6.90
54. Triple Karmelit	Belgium	8.4%	6.40
55. Duvel	Belgium	8.5%	6.40
56. Duvel Triple Hop	Belgium	9%	6.90
57. St Stefanus	Belgium	7%	5.30
58. Delirium Tremens	Belgium	8.5%	6.40
59. Straffe Hendrik	Belgium	9%	6.90
60. St Feuillon Gran Cru	Belgium	9.5%	7.90
61. Hoegaarden gran Cru	Belgium	8.7%	6.90
62. Jupiler	Belgium	5.2%	5.80
63. Grimbergen Blonde	Belgium	6.7%	6.90



Saison Beers

First brewed in the 1700s on the farms of Belgium's French-speaking Wallonia, this original farmhouse ale was brewed for the seasonal field workers – les saisonniers – who performed manual labour under the hot summer sun. Considering potable water was hard to come by, les saisonniers

64. Saison Dupont	Belgium	6.5%	6.40
65. St Feuillon Saison	Belgium	6.5%	6.40



Pale Ales and IPA

Using Hop varieties from all over the world to create different punchy taste profiles, these Beers are currently super popular.

Citrusy, Piney, Tropical fruits, you name it and there is probably an IPA on this list that you will fall in love with and want more than one.

66. Troubadour magma	Belgium	9%	7.90
67. Jopen passionfrt milkshake Ipa	Netherlands	6.5%	6.90
68. BBP Juice Junkie NEIPA	Belgium	5.4%	6.90
69. Tiny rebel pump up the jam	Wales	5%	6.90

Low to no Alcohol

70. Big Drop pale ale	UK	0.5%	4.85
71. Jupiler 0.0	Belgium	0%	5.8



On Draught

There are too many Beers in the world that we want to showcase at De Hems so apart from our Dutch and Belgian lagers and Guinness we change our taps weekly to keep things fresh. Below is a list of breweries that we regularly stock. Ask at the bar for a recommendation of the days current Beers.

VEDETT
EXTRA  BLOND

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EXTRA  WHITE



Gin

Dry Gin

1. Tanqueray	43.1%	4.60	7.85
2. Tanqueray 10	47.3%	5.15	9.40
3. Bombay Sapphire	40%	4.25	7.50
4. Star of Bombay	47.5%	5.25	9.50
5. Villa ascenti	41%	5.15	9.40
6. Little Bird	41.6%	5.25	9.50
7. Hendricks	41.4%	4.85	8.60
8. Roku	43%	4.85	8.60
9. City of London	41.3%	5.05	8.80

Flavoured Gins

10. Bombay Bramble	37.5%	5.15	9.40
11. Tarquins Rhubarb & Raspberry	38%	5.15	9.40
12. Whitley Neil Rhubarb & Ginger	43%	5.05	9.30
13. Whitley Neill Raspberry	43%	4.95	8.70
14. JJ. Whitley Violet	38.6%	4.85	8.60
15. Chase Williams Grapefruit	40%	4.90	8.65
16. Puerto De Indias, Strawberry	37.5%	5.15	9.40
17. Tanqueray Sevilla	41.3%	5.15	9.40

Vodka

1. Ketel One	40%	4.30	7.55
2. Żubrówka flavoured Vodka	37.5%	4.85	8.60
3. Ciroc Vodka	40%	5.35	9.16

Whisky

4. Laphroaig	40%	4.95	8.70
5. Johnnie Walker Black Label	40%	4.90	8.65
6. Talisker	45.8	4.80	8.55
7. Glenmorangie	40%	5.15	9.40
8. Highland Park	40%	5.00	8.75
9. Bulleit Bourbon	45%	4.70	7.95
10. Monkey Shoulder	40%	4.95	8.70
11. Glenkinchie	40%	4.95	9.20
12. Makers Mark	45%	4.75	8.00
13. Haig Clubman	43%	4.75	8.50
14. Woodford Reserve	43.2%	5.15	8.90
15. Jack Daniels	40%	4.50	7.75
16. Jamesons	40%	4.40	7.65

Rum

1. Wray & Nephew	63%	5.15	8.90
2. Havana 7yo	40%	4.85	8.60
3. Kraken	40%	4.90	8.65
4. Goslings	40%	4.70	8.45
5. Sailor Jerry	40%	4.45	7.70
6. Red Leg	37.5%	4.70	8.45
7. Appleton Estate	40%	4.60	7.85
8. Bacardi	37.5%	4.25	7.50
9. Koko Kanu	37.5%	4.60	8.35

We serve Fevertree Tonics and mixers

Shots

1. Ramazzotti Sambuca White	38%	4.55	7.80
2. Ramazzotti Sambuca Black	40%	4.60	7.85
3. Olmeca Altos Tequila	38%	4.65	7.90
4. Jägermeister	35%	4.65	7.90
5. Jägermeister Coffee	33%	4.65	7.90

Long drinks (all with a 50ml measure)

Bramble Gin Spritz - Bombay Bramble gin topped with Prosecco and lemonade served over ice with lemon

9.50

Belsazar Rose & Tonic - Belsazar Rose vermouth and Fever Tree refreshingly light tonic

8.95

Seville Spritz - Tanqueray Orange Gin, topped with Prosecco and Lemonade.

11.95

Aperol Spritz - Aperol topped with Prosecco and Soda over ice.

8.50

Soft Drinks

Bottle/Can

1. Coca cola/Diet Coke	3.20
2. Red Bull sugar free	2.95
3. Still/Sparkling Water	2.55

	<u>Pint</u>	<u>Half Pint</u>
4. Pepsi/Diet Pepsi	3.35	2.90
5. Lemonade	3.35	2.90
6. Orange Juice	3.55	2.95
7. Cranberry Juice	3.55	2.95
8. Apple Juice	3.55	2.95
9. OJ & Lemonade	3.50	2.70
10. Lemonade& Cordial	3.15	2.95
11. Lime & Soda	2.50	2.50

Bottle Cider

1. Old Mout Strawberry & Pomegranate	5.65
2. Old Mout Berries & Cherries	5.65
3. Old Mout Pineapple & Raspberry	5.65
4. Sandford Orchards Berry Lane	6.05

White Wine

	Bottle	125ml	175ml	250ml
1. Rio Macabeo Sauvignon Blanc - Spain	22.50	4.35	6.05	8.35
2. Pinot Grigio - Italy	23.50	4.55	6.35	8.70
3. Ama Vida - Spain	27.50			
4. La Sauterelle - France	25.50			
5. Cote Ocean - France	25.50			

Red Wine

	Bottle	125ml	175ml	250ml
1. Cabernet Sauvignon - S. Africa	20.50	3.95	5.55	7.60
2. El Bar Malbec - Argentina	25.00	4.80	6.75	9.25

Rose Wine

	Bottle	125ml	175ml	250ml
1. Vinewood Rose -S. Africa	20.50	3.95	5.55	7.60
2. Pinot Rose -Italy	22.50	4.35	6.05	8.35
3. Le Bijou De Sophie Valrose - France	26.50			

Sparkling Wine

	Bottle	125ml
1. Balboni Prosecco - Italy	28.00	6.10
2. Veuve Clicquot - France	60.00	-

Our Gallery bar upstairs can hold 90 guests standing and 60 seated. Perfect for private functions, meetings or watching big screen sports, on the biggest HD screen in Soho, we show such events as the six nations, premier league, champions league, World cup and the Dutch Eredivise.

Whether you are looking for a space to host a meeting with colleagues, or a party with friends & family, we have various menu options for your event, from great buffet options, to British or Dutch classics.

It is the ideal space for Birthdays, quizzes, Work Parties and other special occasions.

We can also provide meeting space during the day, with a large projector, tea, and coffee making facilities available upon request.

To book the room exclusively, a deposit or minimum spend may be required. We would be happy to show you around and send over more details so please let us know your requirements and we would be happy to help.



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Lynton Lamb

De Hems 1936



De Hems 1890



De Hems 1950



De Hems 1970

